"In the Valley of the Moon"

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Midnight Mass For Christmas

Meet to Encourage Photoplay Producers to Locate Here

Former Sonoma City Trustee Passed Away at His Home

COMMITTEE NAMED TO INTERVIEW THE PROPERTY OWNERS

Sonoma Business Men Ask Valley Cooperation For Moving Picture Producers.

The Sonoma Business Mens Association and Sonoma Valley citizens who are working on the moving picture producing enterprise, met at the City Hall Monday evening to consider steps necessary to make the work of the Sonoma Photo Play Corporation here a complete success and also to assure cooperation to other companies anxious to locate in the famed Valley of the Moon. Messrs Binney and Gill were unable to attend the meeting but had outlined the sort of cooperation desired and it was presented by W. W. Carter.

Special emphasis was made on the desirability of getting property owners to permit the motion picture people to take pictures and film scenes on their Sonoma ranches and also to have a list of the various properties where certain types of scenery are available.

President Clewe appointed the following committee to get the permits from local property owners:—James Baines, A. C. Maier, J. B. Parrent, W. H. Green, Geo. Crowe, Rae Hunter, Morris Levy, James Post and S. Beinhacker. Morris Levy offered his ranch for picture taking scenes and also declared he would give a site for a studio at Vineburg.

In addition to the Binney company a new organization of 40 people is contemplating locating here, their representative Mr. Gill having been in Sonoma the fore part of the week.

A plan has been suggested that visiting producers who come north for the Wampus Ball in San Francisco, be entertained at a barbacue and tour of the Valley of the Moon during their sojourn in this section of California.

WILL SPEND CHRISTMAS AT SPOKANE, WASH.

Mrs. Z. Lane and daughter, Beth, will leave today for Spokane, Wash., where they will spend the holidays with the Warren Lanes in the north. They go by train and expect to remain until the opening of the Sonoma High School on January 6th. A delightful visit is anticipated by Mrs. Lane and her daughter with their son and brother, who is a prominent resident of Washington, where he has a lovely home and an interesting family.

LODGES AND CLUBS CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS

The Rebekahs and Odd Fellows had a beautiful Christmas tree for their families Thursday evening in I. O. O. F. Hall.

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club had an appropriate Christmas program yesterday afternoon. Miss Edna Cooper directed the program.

Tonight the Redmen and their families will make merry at a fine feast to be followed by a Christmas tree and dancing at Odd Fellows' hall.

Dumping Is Ruinous To Apple Market

Research Committee's Reports Interest Sonoma Valley Growers of the Famed Gravenstein.

The apple growers of Sonoma Valley who have been organized for some years as an association selling through the Sebastopol Apple Growers' Union, have been intensely interested in the recent reports of the investigating committee at Sebastopol. This committee went north and also to Watsonville district lately, investigating the system of disposing of the apple crops in these famed apple producing centers. The idea was to perfect a better system for Sonoma county growers who the past two or three seasns have not had as good years as desired in the apple business. Important findings and recommendations were made by the investigating committee, which points out the danger and disadvantage of dumping too many apples on the market at once, something which should be unnecessary and could be obviated by proper marketing. Gravenstein apples such as Sonoma county produces being in the market early could be more widely and evenly distributed through the proper agency. It is estimated that brokers representing the Sebastopol Apple Growers' Union marketed the crop in 138 cities this season, whereas the California Fruit Growers' Exchange operated in 325 cities of the United States and Canada. The report says:

"Probably the most unfortunate handicap that our management has had to deal wwith is the fact that our apples had to be rolled or shipped as soon as the cars were filled, and dur-

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CHRISTMAS PARTY AT HIGH SCHOOL

Under the direction of the Senior Class, a delightful Christmas Party was enjoyed in the high school auditorium last evening. There was a full attendance of parents and pupils.

The program breathed the spirit of Christmas in all the numbers. It was as follows:—Dust of the Road - a beautiful one-act play teaching charity and loving kindness, by Goodman. The cast:—Beth Lane, Sam Steiman, Theodore Anthenian, Herbert Tracy.

Orchestra— Toy Symphony - a most delightful combination of toy instruments played in harmony.

Bird's Christmas Carol, by Kate Douglas Wiggin—Played by a group of freshmen.

Christmas Carols by the Girls' Glee.

The Babe in Bethlehem's Manger Laid.

The Infant Jesus

Senior Boys' stunt—The Ford Car. This was a scream.

Following the program, gifts were distributed from a Christmas tree. Somehow every student received just one gift, each a reminder of early childhood.

Dancing and singing games then followed. Refreshments were served the latter part of the evening.

Sonoma Churches Will Celebrate Nativity With Programs and Christmas Tree.

Christmas in the Sonoma churches will be celebrated with elaborate programs. The joyous weeks starts tomorrow when there will be a special program and tree at the Congregational church at 8 o'clock p. m.

The morn of the Nativity will be ushered in at St. Francis church with a midnight mass. The new church will present a beautiful sight illuminated, and holy communion will be received by the Young Men's Institute and Young Ladies'Institute in a body. Special Christmas carols will be sung. Rev. C. Denney of Santa Clara University, master of several languages including Italian, will assist the Rev. J. F. Byrne during the Christmas ceremonies and at the masses which will be as follows:

Sonoma—First mass at midnight, second mass at 7:30 a. m., third mass at 8:30 p. m., and last mass at 11 a. m.

Glen Ellen—Mass at 9 a. m.

Congregational Church

The Christmas tree program at the Congregational church is in charge of Mrs. Edrington and will be as follows:

Song, "Joy to the World."

Scripture Reading—Mrs. McAllister's Class.

Prayer—Rev. Isaac Cookman.

Song—Primary Class.

Recitation—David McAuley.

Song—Mrs. Burlingame's Class.

Recitation—Pat Golton.

Solo—Mrs. Rhea Hannon.

Recitation—Mrs. Cookman's Class.

Piano Solo—Robley Harbort.

Piano Solo—Edwin Burmester.

Recitation—Mrs. McAllister's Class

Manger Scene and Song—Mrs. Edrington's Class.

Talk by Frank Edrington, Sunday School Superintendent.

Offering.

Santa Claus and Christmas tree.

M. E. Church

The following will be the Christmas program at the M. E. Sunday School under the direction of Mrs. William Rambo:

Organ prelude.

Song, "Let the Old Songs Ring."

Responsive reading.

Invocation—Rev. S. E. Crowe.

Song, "Hail to His Name."

Recitations, (a) "Christmas, (b) "Christmas Bells."

Song, "My Lord Was Once a Stranger."

Recitation, "No Room."

Song—"Angel's Song of Glory."

Exercise, "Bells Are Chiming."

Song, "A Christmas Star."

Recitation.

Song, "Over the Cradle of Jesus."

Exercise, "Three Eastern Sages."

Exercise, "We Want to See the Christ Child."

Song, "The Wonderful Story of Jesus."

Exercise, "Christmas Emblem."

Song, "Christmas Night."

Exercise, "Christmas Blessings."

Song, "The Babe Divine."

Remarks by Pastor.

Offering.

Recitation, "A Christmas Wish."

Song, "O, Sing His Love."

Illumination of tree and distribution of candy.

Benediction.

Postlude.

At the morning worship at 11 o'clock, the program will be as follows:

Hymn, "Incarnation"—Willis.

Apostles' Creed—Congregation.

Prayer—Pastor.

Anthem, "Glory to God"—Stoddard

Psalter—Christmas.

Solo—Mrs. Shirley Weise.

Offertory.

Carol—A. S. Wathall.

Sermon—Rev. S. E. Crowe.

Coronation—Miles Lane.

Benediction.

Organ.

LOUIS FELDER IMPROVING FROM RECENT OPERATION

Louis Felder, who was operated upon in a Santa Rosa hospital last week by Dr. Boolsen of Sonoma and Dr. Shaw, is making good progress toward recovery. A portion of the hip joint was removed and regrafting will be necessary. Felder suffered injuries from a fall from a horse, which necessitated the surgical work.

The young man is a member of a well known Sonoma Valley family and has been a daring and clever horseman. His many friends hope for his complete recovery.

NEW SONOMA VISTA CLUB HOUSE OPENING

On Saturday evening, December 29th will be the opening of the beautiful new club house at Sonoma Vista built by the progressive improvement club of that section to replace the building destroyed by fire.

Whist, entertainment and dancing will be the order of the evening. All are invited.

BUSINESS HOUSES IN HOLIDAY ATTIRE

The Sonoma business places, including the banks, are looking quite festive in their holiday attire. Batto & Sons' Sonoma store, of which F. H. Muller is manager, had a genial Santa Claus and beautiful lighted tree for the children two days this week.

The Central Commercial and Savings Bank had a handsomely decorated tree and a beautiful lot of holly wreaths effectively displayed.

Sonoma stores are carrying a fine lot of Christmas goods and report a good assortment still available for late shoppers. Merchants say business is good and the holiday trade brisk in every line.

RETURNED FROM TRIP SOUTH

Mrs. John Bianchini and son, Amando, and Mr. and Mrs. Felice Rovai, have returned from a motor trip to southern California. They enjoyed the sights of Tia Juana, beautiful Catalina Island, San Diego and Los Angeles.

Producer of Photoplays In Hospital

H. J. Binney Does Comedy Fall And Receives Injury to Arm Which Proves Serious.

Harold J. Binney, the moving picture producer, head of the new Sonoma Photo Play Corporation, who have been filming pictures here met with an accident this week which culminated in his removal to a San Francisco hospital. Mr. Binney has been suffering with blood poisoning in his arm caused by an injury sustained when he did a comedy fall while acting in the pictures. The moving picture producer has only recently reentered acting for the screen, having of recent years been a producer and director. He was a little out of practice in stage falling which is no easy task for a 300 pounder, and in falling struck his elbow on a sharp rock. The wound became infected, and after consulting local doctors, Mr. Binney was advised to go to a hospital. Treatment necessitated the scraping of the bone to save his arm.

At the hospital his wife and two charming children have been frequent callers. Mr. Binney and his wife have been married 15 years, when she was sweet sixteen and he was hineteen. Unlike so many theatrical people, their domestic life has been very happy. Mr. Binney attributes it to the fact that his wife has never been in professional life and has devoted herself entirely to her family.

Reports from physicians in attendance on the comedian are to the effect that he is recovering and will soon have the use of his arm again.

FIRE TIMELY DISCOVERED IN NEWSPAPER OFFICE

Last Saturday evening as R. C. Bancroft, American Railway Express Company agent entered the Expositor Forum building he detected the odor of smoke and upon investigation discovered a fire eating its way through the floor of the newspaper office adjoining. The floor around the linotype machine was afire, the fire having burned its way to the surface while the joists underneath the floor were ablaze. Prompt action averted a serious conflagration.

Early in the day some refuse on the floor of the print shop ignited through gasoline in it, but the incipient blaze was stamped out and was thought to have been completely extinguished. It is believed, however, that some of the fire smouldered in the cracks of the wooden floor, causing the narrow escape later in the evening.

CHRISTMAS PARTIES FORMED

A popular social event of the Christmas holidays is the forming of home parties to attend the entertainment by the Southland Duo at the High School auditorium on Wednesday evening, December 26th.—adv.

Mrs. W. K. Roberts (Ethel Hunter) is here for Christmas, visiting her brothers.

AUGUSTINO PINELLI IS CALLED TO THE GREAT BEYOND

Old Resident and Prominent Citizen Succumbs To Long Illness At His Home Here Monday.

Monday at 4:00 o'clock p. m., Augustino Pinelli, prominent old resident of Sonoma, who had been seriously ill many months, passed to the Great Beyond. Despite several blood transfusions and a brave battle for life, the aged capitalist grew steadily weaker until the end and seemed to have a premonition that he would not survive until Christmas. Death came to the sufferer at his home and he died surrounded by his devoted wife, his sons, Emil and August Jr., and his daughter, Mrs. John Mohr, and other members of the family.

Mr. Pinelli had resided in Sonoma for the past 40 years. Coming here as a young man, he saw many opportunities and was quick to take advantage of them. He developed local quarries and at one time was a large shipper of basalt blocks to outside markets. He also dealt in stove wood and finally became the owner and builder of the substantial block where for many years he conducted his business. To this he later added the stone structure now occupied by the Sonoma Mission Creamery and also acquired other large holdings, including the Von Geldern property and some of the famous adobes on Spain Street

Mr. Pinelli was recognized as a progressive and public spirited citizen and was elected city trustee, serving Sonoma well in his official capacity.

Deceased was born in Pontremoli, Province of Spesia, Italy, in 1851. A sister in the old country is a nun and two brothers, Pietro and Serefino Pinelli, who survive deceased are prominent and wealthy residents of the State of Sonora, Mexico. Mr. Pinelli was twice married, the wedding to his surviving spouse having taken place in Sonoma thirty-three years ago. August Pinelli and Mrs. John Mohr are children of this marriage.

The funeral took place from St. Francis Church and was one of the largest corteges held in many years. A wealth of floral offerings covered the last resting place of Sonoma's old resident in Mountain Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Messrs P. Boccoli, Geo. Breitenbach, A. Baccala E. Maggio, of San Francisco, L. Quartaroli, and E. Eraldi.

Among out-of-town friends here for the funeral were Messrs Caseratti, Caecar Ronci, E. Maggio, R. Carraccio, and Mr. and Mrs. Jules Willems (nee Chevalier.)

CLAIMS BRIDE AT S. F. CHURCH WEDDING

In the presence of 150 relatives and friends, Miss Genevieve Haily, young San Francisco artist and Ernest Clewe, attorney, were married last Saturday at the Swedenborg church in San Francisco. Mrs. Phyllis Ackerman and Dr. Pope attended the young couple as matron of honor and best man. Many elegant wedding presents were received.

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IN

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Saturday Night, Dec. 22nd, Arrow Pictuure Corporation Presents
DICK HATTON and NEVA GERBER in "SEVENTH SHERIFF"
A Western picture that make you hang onto your seat. Don't miss t.

—SPECIAL—

Sunday Night, Dec. 23rd, Paramount Pictures Corporation Presents
MAY McAVOY and ELLIOT DEXTER in "ONLY 38"
Laughs, sentiment and pathos combined in a picture of life as we all know it. A rich vein of comedy flows throughout.
Extra—Two Reel Comedy
Admission 20c and 30c, War Tax Included

Wednesday and Thursday Nights, Dec. 26-27, First National Presents
JACKIE COOGAN in "PECK'S BAD BOY"
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Extra—Two Reels of Comedy
Admission 20c and 30c, War Tax Included

Fetters Springs Theatre
MOVIES and DANCING EVERY SATURDAY and SUNDAY

Saturday Night, Dec. 22— Herbert Rawlinson in
"NOBODY'S FOOL"

Sunday, Dec. 23—House Peters, Virginia Gilli and Matt Moore in
"THE STORM"

Tuesday Night, Dec. 25. Christmas Night—Jack Hoxie in
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Sunday Only: 4:18 p. m.

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

A Merry Christmas to all is the wish of Archibald McKiver.

Josh Binney's movie stars were in El Verano last Friday shooting pictures in the old town. Among the scenes taken was one showing the sheriff in hot pursuit of the bandits

The Mullen brothers and patrons of their store, Archie McKiver, the village reporter; Walter Sloater and A. Tomlinson, the giant Hercules, a Sonoma Valley movie star who weighs 250 pounds and stands six feet six, all appeared in the great picture. Mullen's pioneer store, which has been visited by thousands of summer tourists from all parts of the United States during the last 30 years, was also filmed and as this great Valley of the Moon picture will be shown in many cities throughout the country, no doubt many will recognize this business block, in which the El Verano post office is also located. The street scene was full of thrills as the sheriff in his auto in hot pursuit of the bandits wanted for the holdup of the Valley National Bank at Sonoma passed through here. Everybody in El Verano is movie mad and are anxious to see themselves on the screen.

George Fetters of Fetters Springs was exchanging Christmas greetings here Sunday. George is also some movie star.

The latest rumor is that Al Johnson of Boyes Springs, famous veteran of Sonoma Valley, has made application to enter the movies. Al ought to make a hit in the movies with his old fiddle and bow, with which he fiddled himself to fame in bygone days. Years ago Al was leader of a famous orchestra at Lakeville and played all the old time dance music for the natives when they assembled at the various farm houses on Saturday evenings. Al was also a leading Beau Brummel and a favorite with the fair ones.

Miss Sophie Camp of Cleveland O., has arrived at the Ammann home to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnstone of San Francisco were visitors at the Minkel home the first of the week.

The late rain registered .89 inches at El Verano. This rain was badly needed and the farmers are jubilant.

Mrs. M. Watts and Bert Trainer will spend the holidays with San Francisco relatives.

Our Grammar School closed Dec. 21st for the holidays. It will re-open the first of the year.

Harry Rogers, Petaluma man is enjoying the Christmas holidays with El Verano friends.

E. A. Boernor, a San Francisco business man, is here to remain for the holidays and is registered at the Family Hotel. He is in love with the Valley of the Moon and its climate.

Barney O'Neil, foreman of the Lombard ranch, has been in Crockett visiting friends.

William Wyatt, Jr., of San Francisco is at the home of his parents here for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. J. McLane was a visitor in the City of Oakland last week.

Mrs. J. Baines, Mrs. George Baines and Harry and William Baines were Christmas visitors in Santa Rosa last week.

Mrs. Louise Turner has returned to her Sonoma Vista home after a visit to southern cities and Tia Juana.

Mrs. Mae Schmitz has gone to Oakland to spend the hoidays.

E. C. Nielson has bought from A. Swensson a lot on which Contractor Minkel is building a six room bungalow. Mr. and Mrs. Nielson are from San Francisco and will make their home in El Verano.

One of the new high powered locomotives recently purchased by the S. P. is now pulling the freight train on the Santa Rosa branch. There engines are powerful and many observers have been giving the new iron horse the once-over.

John Wyatt of Arizona has succeeded Sam Howe as foreman of the large cattle ranch in the western hills.

The last turkey shoot before Christmas, giving all a chance to get a bird for Christmas, will be held at the Stornetti ranch under the management of Slim Holden on Sunday, Dec. 23rd. A number of fine birds are up for prizes and many of the crack sharpshooters from El Verano and vicinity will be there to try their luck in landing a bird for the big feed.

Ken. Weaver, of the Mission Lumber Company, carried off all the honors at the turkey shoot Sunday at the Stornetti ranch when he hit the bullseye and won a 32 pound gobbler. Ken was declared the champion of the day.

E. Eraldi, well known pioneer of Sonoma, was in town Monday calling on his friend Charles Danieli who is ill and also greeting other El Verano friends.

Mrs. F. Hansen of Sonoma returned home Monday evening after a pleasant visit with bay city relatives.

E. K. Springer, traveling freight and passenger agent for the S. P. Company, with offices at Santa Rosa, was transacting railroad business here Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Manry is spending the Christmas holidays with her daughter in the bay city.

Joe Davis of the Mare Island Navy Yard is enjoying a furlough on his poultry ranch in El Verano.

An operation involving the removal of the hip joint was performed on Louis Felder by Dr. Joseph Shaw and Dr. S. Boolsen at Santa Rosa last week. Felder is a Sonoma cattle rancher and received the injury which made necessary the operation by falling from a horse.

Deputy District Attorney Jack Ford was a business visitor last Saturday. Mr. Ford has many friends in El Verano who welcomed him and extended greetings of the season to Santa Rosa's popular attorney.

Joe Herbert, who left here 18 years ago, arrived at El Verano last Saturday from Nome, Alaska, where he has resided since leaving here. He has made good in the gold country and his many friends here were glad to see him once more. After his visit here he will return north.

Mrs. Julius Pancrazi, Sr. of Glen Ellen was operated on at a San Francisco hospital last week and word has been received that she is doing nicely.

S. Nonella, a comedian who is worth signing up at a big price has been sought by the movie heads to take part in a picture. Nonella is undecided as yet, but if he makes up his mind to enter the movies, Charlie Chaplin and other comedians of fame are, no doubt, sure of being out-classed by El Verano's comedian, who has all the qualifications necessary for a movie star.

Bill Fowler, Sr., of Glen Ellen was in town Sunday renewing old acquaintances.

At the next meeting of the Board of Supervisors at Santa Rosa, several new voting precincts are to be added in the county, including one at El Verano, which has over the total number of voters allowed for one precinct.

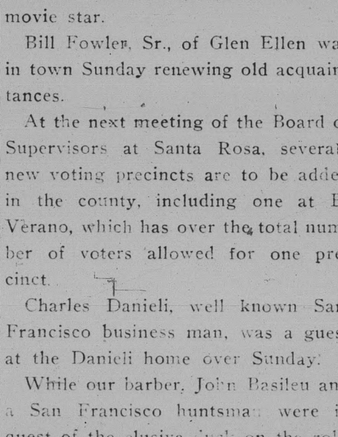
Charles Danieli, well known San Francisco business man, was a guest at the Danieli home over Sunday.

While our barber, John Basileu and a San Francisco huntsman were in quest of the elusive duck on the rolling sea near Wingo last week, a wave struck the boat and overboard went their gun. Last Saturday a life saving crew composed of Dave Forni, Bill Baines, John Larson and J. Basileu, went to the spot and after dredging the bay for some time under the direction of Captain Larson, former salt water seaman, succeeded in hooking the gun and bringing it to land. The firearm, however, was ruined by the salt water. John Dowdall, who loaned the gun to the sportsmen, is to receive a new weapon. Larson had his diving outfit along and if they had not hooked the gun, was ready to go to the bottom of the sea risk his life among the finny monsters of the briny deep to secure the lost gun.

SONOMA SHERIFF MAKES 85 DRY RAIDS

Sheriff John M. Boyes reported that since the first of the year he had made made 85 raids on illegal liquor dealers in Sonoma county. As a result of these raids, the county was enriched $20,530 in fines and forfeitures, more than was ever collected in pre-Volstead days by county liquor license fees. Five offenders were given jail sentences in addition to fines and two cases are still pending.

To know how good a cigarette really can be made you must try a—



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THE FOURTH ANNUAL EGG LAYING CONTEST

The fourth contest opening on November 1st was completely filled to capacity with thirty six entries of ten birds each and two alternates, all single comb White Leghorn pullets. The contest was opened for the first time this year to entries from outside Sonoma and Marin counties. Six entries from the state of Washington; four from the state of Oregon and one from Montana was made. Among the entries from the state of California, two are from Santa Cruz county; one from Alameda county; one from Contra Costa county; one from Marin county; one from Napa county, and one from Stanislaus county. The remaining eighteen, or one-half the entries, are from Sonoma county.

Garcia & Sarich of Sonoma are among those making entries.

Special Trips On Christmas

LEAVE SONOMA

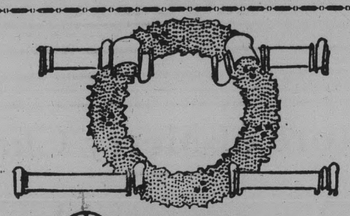
7:20 P. M. Monday and Tuesday

LEAVE SAN FRANCISCO

7:45 P. M. Monday and Tuesday

December 24 and 25

San Rafael-Sonoma Valley Auto Stage Line



Merry Christmas

Wishing Friends and Patrons a Right Merrie Christmas

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Transfer Your Money to Sonoma Now

Many people who have recently moved to Sonoma, left their money in the banks of the towns where they formerly lived. Their money is aiding the farmers and business men of other communities. It should be in this progressive city from which these people are drawing their living.

Money transferred to the Central Bank before January 10, will bear interest from January 1. No interest will be lost in making the transfer

Just bring or mail in your pass book to us and say whether you wish to open a checking or savings account. The officials of this bank will be glad to attend to all the details of transferring your money without expense to you. DO IT NOW.

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Miracles and the Christ Child

By Katherine Edelman

Indian Brave, Guided by Great Spirit, Reveals Story of Christmas

IN THE far-flung land of the west the early winter had been unusually mild and although it was nearing Christmas, now the weather was bright and clear, almost spring-like in its mildness.

Everywhere that the message of the Christ Child had reached, men and women were busy and happy preparing for the great day, a new and added joy of life surging within their hearts. Into each home there had come a strengthening and rekindling of family ties and a new birth of love and service that reached out even beyond the home.

Out on the reservation, however, the Indians went about their tasks as usual, for no hint of the wonder and the glory of the Christmas time had yet come to them. And if they felt a mysterious something in the air at this time, they understood it not at all, for the brightness from the Star of Bethlehem had not yet burst upon them.

Moonlight Brook was very lonely—she had only little Silver Star her daughter, with her now—the big chief had sent Strong Oak, her husband, with other braves, on a mission to a distant village. And Moonlight Brook had missed him every hour for their love was still burning as bright as the big camp fire that blazed near the tepees at dusk.

Her love of the great open spaces helped to cheer her during the long hours of his absence. Every day with little Silver Star she wandered afar. In these lonely places that she went there always came to her the sense of some unknown presence—the hand of some great power.

Early one morning Moonlight Brook called little Silver Star to her and told her that they would go for a long walk, away up to Roaring Creek. Moonlight Brook was lost in wonder at the beauty of the scene, but a great and sudden change had come over the day. Now, looking at the lowering, threatening sky, she decided that she must make all possible haste back to the village. For with the darkness and the gloom that had come over all there had come, too, from across the prairie a low menacing wind that carried with it at times small, dry snowflakes.

With Silver Star in her arms Moonlight Brook started in the direction of the village, walking with the swift, strong stride of the woman who lives much in the open. The snow now was coming down in large flakes and the wind had grown blizzard-like in its velocity. Hope was fast dying within her, for she was trembling from exhaustion. Then overwrought nature did the thing which she had tried hard to keep from happening—she sank upon the snow—her last thought as she felt consciousness leaving her, to wrap the blanket closer about little Silver Star and to waft a prayer to the Great Spirit to take care of Strong Oak when she was gone.

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But the prairie has many stories to tell of strange things that have happened there, and on this day there was added to the list another of those coincidences which happen oftener in real life than some would have us believe. For Strong Oak and his party came by the very spot where Moonlight Brook and Silver Star lay a short time after they had sunk exhausted. Some of the men had tried to take the other trail, but something within him that strange, unknown force which comes to all at times, made him choose the Roaring Creek trail instead and he found his loved ones and with the help of the guides they reached the village in safety.

A few hours later, Moonlight Brook and Strong Oak sat hand in hand, the estastic happiness of being reunited surging within them. Moonlight Brook whispered over and over that it was a miracle that the Great Spirit had wrought that Strong Oak should have found her. And Strong Oak told her that while he had been gone he had heard the story of the Christ Child who had come upon earth on this day, which ever since has been called Christmas. As Moonlight Brook listened to the beautiful story that has been told so much, but which keeps its thrill through the ages, she felt that this day was indeed a day of miracles, for, like her bronzed brave, the story brought her a wonderful peace and stilled the restless longings which had come to her so often in the past.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS PARAPHRASED

Merry Christmas everyone.

There is optimism and faith in the very words. As we reflect on the significance of Christmas and the faith of the One whose nativity we celebrate there is solemn realization of the accomplishment of the ages. But it has taken ages to achieve a small part of the idealism set forth for us, wherefore we should not grow impatient that the world is far from perfect. Let us, rather, rejoice at the goal He has set for us. Let us be glad of the philosophy and spirit a Santa Claus awakens, kindness and generosity and regard for the little child, whose happiness reaches its climax at the Christmas tide.

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If we be thrifty throughout the year we will have enough to share with others at Christmas and learn the lesson that it is more blessed to give than to receive.

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Christmas tide is the great church holiday and altars gleam throughout the world and voices are raised in gladsome song. Oh, night divine, the night when Christ was born." As a beacon light holding aloft the standard of Christian teachings down through the ages have been the churches. Let them never depart from the divine work they have had entrusted to them, the betterment of human souls.

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The inspiration of Christmas should awaken us all to the fact that Christmas spirit is the leaven the world needs. There will be little need for any law when the brotherhood of man becomes a universal fraternity and the ideals of One born in a lowly manger come to frutition.

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Meanwhile let us love the poetry of Christmas. Let us cherish and preserve it forever. No interlude in this busy life warms our hearts as does this holiday.

Merry Christmas.

AN EXAMPLE FOR SONOMA TO FOLLOW

Sonoma could profit by Berkeley's business system. The college town, not satisfied to be rated as the intellectual center and rest on its laurels, is a business go-getter, as evidenced by the windows there. Gaily decorated in holiday temptations, the stores carry cards with the slogan, "Buy In Berkeley. Money spent in Berkeley is money invested. Money spent elsewhere is money spent."

And the prices on all the goods were reasonable and the goods were good. If this logic appeals to college trained brains it also appeals to all of ordinary business acumen. Spend all the money you can afford this Christmas but spend it in Sonoma and thus help to build up the town. A Christmas investment if this kind spells future success.

SPOTLIGHT FOR THE KNOCKER

Moving picture producers will have Sonoma Valley's hearty co-operation and the studio people already here have received a warm welcome in the Valley of the Moon and appreciate the attitude of the community toward the industry, one of the largest industries in the United States.

We cannot guarantee that the knocker and joy-killer will not crop up now and then as, for instance, the calamity howler from Kenwood who managed to break into print with a nasty thrust in the reform sheet. It is unfortunate that correspondents will take advantage of an editor and get by with such stuff. We are proud to state that our correspondents are of a different calibre and co-operate with the broad, public-spirited policy of the Index-Tribune.

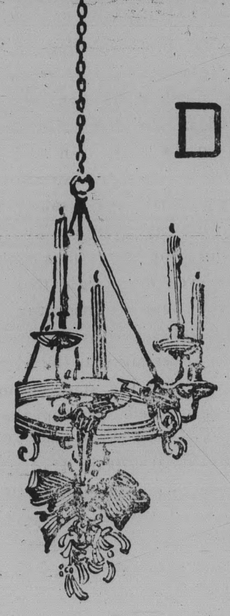
The moving picture people are welcome here. We want them and are getting them, thanks to the good boosters and constructive citizenry of Sonoma Valley.

The barbers and the beauty parlors are fighting over the bobbed-hair trade. The beauty parlor folks declare barbers cut the hair too short for marcelling, that they don't get the idea that a kink must be put in it. To cut short the argument, we're with the bunch that decides bobbing is a "barberous" practice.

And now a geyser is spouting because a prohibition officer arrested two men for operating a still with the hot steam of the devil's cauldron. Sonoma County is a wonderful spot—just think how cheap they could produce "it" with no fuel to buy.

Egg nog, almost an obsolete drink, is made now as follows: Drop two cold storage eggs carefully into a bowl, disguise flavor with hair tonic and thin out with milk man's milk.

No matter who is elected president it will be impossible for Americans to have hard times as long as we have "soft" drinks. Ask the bootlegger.



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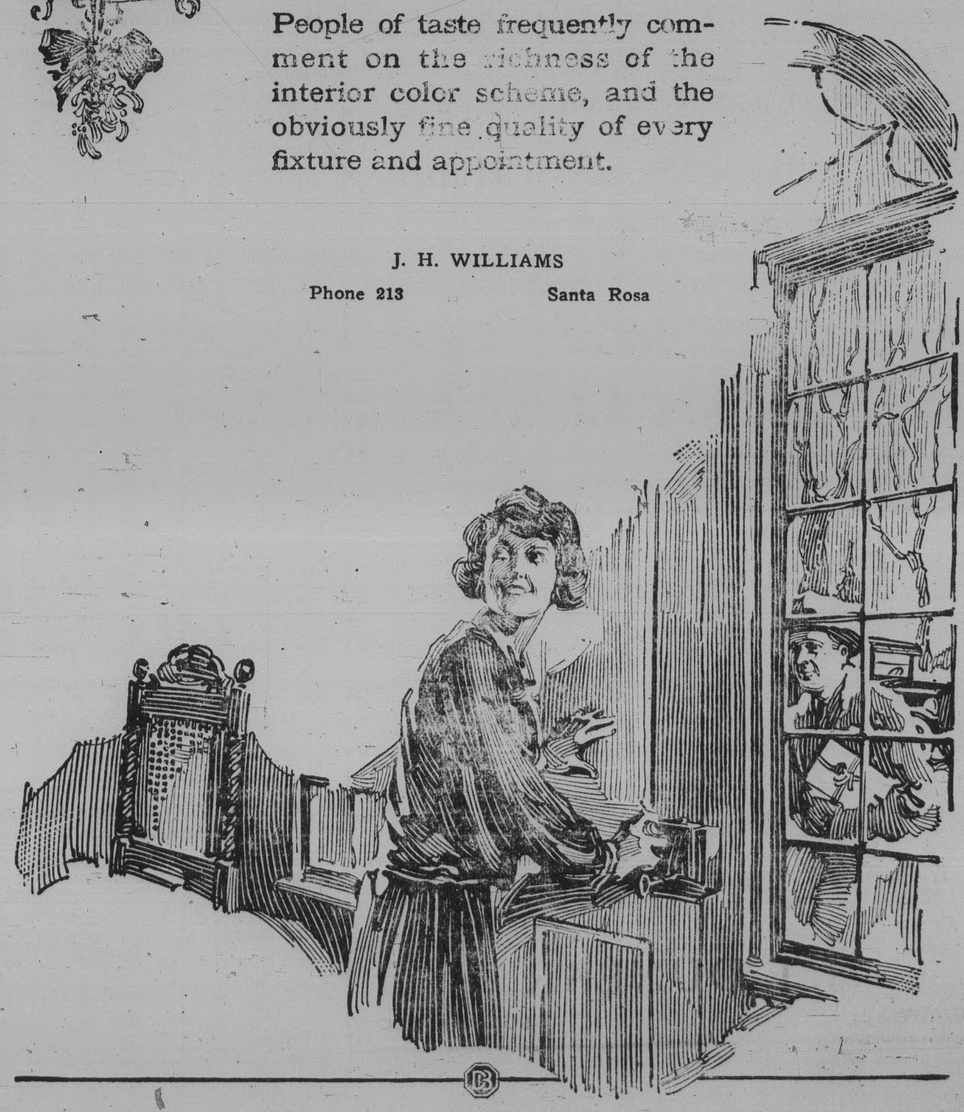

DUMPING RUINOUS TO APPLE MARKET

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ing the peak of our pack, with in the neighborhood of 50 cars a day going out, the result was a lack of orderly distribution or what is termed 'dumping.' The dealers knew that this condition would come and naturally took advantage of it, and once a market is demoralized it is extremely hard o bring it back, and in many cases it is impossible.

"What we must have is enough cold storage to hold back for a few weeks a sufficient amount of our pack at the peak of or output in order to allow of a more even feeding of our apples to the markets.

"We find that our selling organization is not adequate and that our production is increasing at a much more rapid pace than our selling force is being developed.

"The selling of our apples through 'dealers' as we have been doing in some of the largest cities is not a good practice.

"Cold storage is vitally necessary to the orderly marketing of our Gravenstein apples.

"While the co-operative growers' organizations in the Pacific Northwest are selling through brokers, they are not getting good results and admit that the system is not satisfactory.

"The plan of building an adequate selling agency through brokers is not a speedy enough remedy for our ills.

"The California Fruit Exchange is an old, experienced non-profit, co-operative marketing organization, offering its service to us. That it is thoroughly organized for this specific purpose and employs highly specialized executives and salesmen trained in the knowledge of marketing fresh fruits. It is a reliable concern, well financed and highly recommended. Its affiliation with the California Fruit Growers' Exchange of Southern California and the fact that it handles practically no other apple account, and that our Gravenstein apples are marketed during July and August, which is the quiet season in the citrus fruit production, are all circumstances which would be beneficial to our interests, should we sell through this organization.

"We recommend that the entire output of our Union be marketed through the California Fruit Exchange, excepting the fruit required in our judgment for the California and foreign markets, not including Canada.

"From information and advice that the sub-committee received in the course of its tour through the Northwest, this research committee formed the opinion that in many respects we are deficient in packing house operations and that our apples are not being handled in a way to obtain the best results as far as the packing end of the business is concerned. We favor discontinuing the use of Cutler graders in all packing houses and base this report upon the fact as clearly shown to us, that throughout the entire Northwest the concerns that are suffering the minimum of loss in the handling and packing of apples and which are putting out the very best pack, are those organizations that are sorting and packing without the use of mechanical graders of any kind. It was called to orr attention that there is no greater expense incurred in grading and sorting by hand than there is in handling the fruit over a grader. In speed there is little or no difference in the two operations. In the matter of bruising the apples it was proven to us beyond doubt thot the machine method is by far the more harmful. We were advised by many packers that the Gravenstein, being a soft apple, should never be handled over a grader. In many packing houses we found conveyors and other labor saving devices that enabled the packers to perform their work in the most expeditious manner without aid from anyone, even in transferring the packed box from the packing stand to the conveyor over which it passed to the press. It is our opinion that the conveyor system should be carefully invesigated and worked out by someone familiar with such work and a plan put into operation in our packing houses that is best adapted to our requirements.

"The committee is convinced that the time has arrived when our organization should adopt the use of box making machines.

"After a thorough discussion with many of the most experienced gentlemen in the apple packing and selling business as to the most efficient and satisfactory methods of handling the inspection department of our industry this committee has reached the conclusion that the inspection in vogue in the Northwest is far superior to ours and much less expensive. Practically all of the Northwest organizations employ their own well trained and very efficient inspectors, not one of whom receives a salary in excess of $165 per month. The grade rules adopted by the various organizations are even more rigid than those of the state, and the inspector, in insisting on adherence to the organization rules, is certain that the pack will be acceptable to the state authorities and the purchased. During the past season state inspection cost our organization about $7000. Had we employed our own inspectors as the organizations of the Northwest do, we would have saved at least $5000.

"It is the opinion of this committee that before building any more packing houses we should see that the present plants are operated to their utmost capacity, both day and night crews being used where necessary to handle the deliveries of apples during the rush weeks of the season.

"In consideration of the fact that many non-residents come here every year to work in the various apple packing houses, this committee suggests that ample and proper camping sites and facilities be provided for these people and that due consideration be given to sanitation and all reasonable comforts and conveniences.

"Information received from the gentlemen who are in charge of the selling end of the Northwest apple crop convinced this committee that it pays to advertise. Practically all of the co-operative organizations in Oregon and Washington are spending many thousands of dollars yearly in reaching both dealer and consumer through various mediums of advertising.

"Both of the committees that visited other apple producing centers gave special attention to the handling of by-products of the apple and did not find anything worthy of mention, except the canning of the apple which was being successfully carried on at the plant of Libby, McNeil & Libby in Yakima, and the evaporation of apples at the Loma Fruit Company's plant at Watsonville.

"These two methods of handling cull apples we believe are worthy of investigation and might be successfully adopted by our organization. The canned apple would be particularly easy to handle should a new local cannery be established at Sebastopol."

An important organization change recommended is that of doing away with the pool system and permitting every member of the Association to have one vote. In the past votes were cast in accordance with the number of shares owned in the Association.

AGENT GROVER RUBKE PRAISED BY SHIPPERS

The following article was taken from the Northwestern Pacific Headlight, the railroad publication for December:

"President and General Manager Palmer of the Northwestern Pacific is in receipt of the following letter signed by Messrs. Zuppman, Imerone and Ferrario of the California Grape Company at Crockett:

Having completed a fairly successful grape harvest, suffering some of the griefs of car shortage, poor stock, deliveries, etc., we feel, however, that we should make note of things in this game other than grief. Mr. Rubke, your agent at Vineburg,proved to be one of the pleasures of the game We found him most efficient and of great merit.

You are to be congratulated rof having so good an agent. We appreciate him and his efforts very much. Furthermore, although we are several miles away, we will not hesitate to ship by Northwestern at Vineburg."

Needless to say, Agent Rubke is to be commended for having earned this excellent tribute.

ROSENTHAL'S RESORT HAS CHANGED HANDS

Rosenthal's Resort at Verano, opposite the Sonoma Photoplay Corporation studio, has changed hands, Selig Rosenthal having sold out to Mrs. Olive Fritz of San Francisco who will conduct the place in the future. Mr. Rosenthal is said to have traded the Sonoma Valley property for a large apartment house on Ellis street, in San Francisco.

The resort was originally founded by N. Cantor, and was sold by him to Mr. and Mrs. Rosenthal, who highly improved it. A large modern annex, dance hall and cottages were built and the resort's capacity for handling the summer trade greatly increased the past two years. The resort is on the highway and surrounded by attractive grounds.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express deep appreciation of the words of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings sent us in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Rosa Pinelli
Emil Pinelli
Mr. and Mrs. John Mohr
Mr. and Mrs. August Pinelli.

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NOTICE OF SALE

To Satisfy Lien for Safe Keeping and Storage.

To Whom It May Concern:

You will please take notice that on or about July 1, 1922, a Ford automobile belonging to one John Noller was brought to the Palace Garage, at Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, of which I was proprietor. The said car carried license number for 1922, 150238 engine number 377916, and I was instructed to care for same. Since the date above mentioned I have had said Ford automobile stored in my garage continuously, and the amount due for safe keeping and storage is $71.00, no part of which has been paid; therefore it is my intention to sell said automobile at public auction, to be held at the Palace Garage on Saturday, December 22, 1923, at 11:00 a. m., to satisfy the lien and the costs of sale.

S. A. GRIFFITH.

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ORPHANS TO BE AIDED BY THE NATIVE SONS

Tonight Glen Ellen Parlor, N. S. G. W., will give a benefit dance for the Homeless Children's Fund of the order. This is one of the most commendable charities carried on in the state and your help toward the good work will aid the little orphans cared for by this fraternal organization. Attend the dance and help the little ones. If you cannot go, buy tickets. Charles J. Poppe of Glen Ellen, the pioneer Native Son, will supply you.

On New Year's eve Sonoma Parlor will give a grand Carnival Ball for the Homeless Children's Fund.

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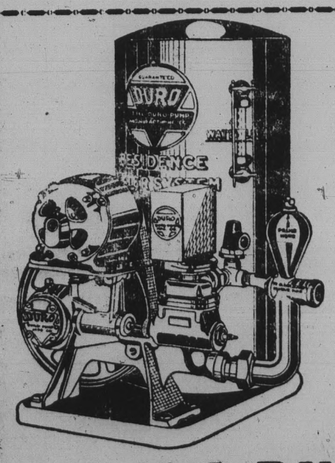

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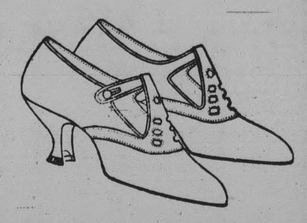

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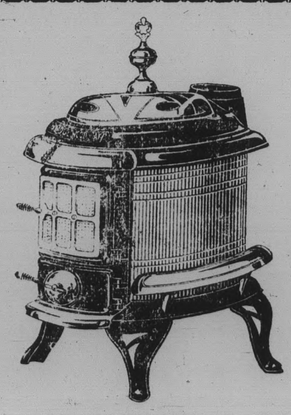

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Roy Wirtz, president of the Student Body, made the barnyard golfers clean up the school grounds last week before they could continue their game. Barnyard golf has become a popular noon hour sport.

A series of lyceum attractions is to to be given by the High School for the entertainment of the community. The first one will appear in the High School auditorium on December 26th. Season tickets may be obtained from students.

In a basket ball game in Petaluma last Saturday night, Sonoma's 130 pound team was once again successful, defeating Petaluma 22 to 6. Our unlimited team met with defeat by a small margin, the score being 13 to 11.

The typing classes have been typing letters for the Student Welfare Committee, to be sent to other schools to inquire about their committees and experience in self discipline. Temporary committees have been appointed to take charge of things until a constitution can be written and ratified by the students.

At the student body meeting Wednesday, bronze medals were awarded by the Underwood Typewriter Company to Evelyn Cordell and Nevada Schell, each of whom had made a 40 word test in typing. Nevada Schell has since completed a test of 50 words About twelve students have completed a test of 30 words and were awarded certificates.

FIFTH AND MARKET AUTO BUS TERMINAL

Messrs. Floyd Hanchett, G. D. Brown and E. H. Mount of the Pacific Auto Stages, Inc., were in Sonoma Valley Thursday in the interests ot the new auto bus line which it is planned to inaugurate between Fifth and Market streets, San Francisco, and Calistoga via Schellville, over the Black Point road.

Passengers could take a bus at Fifth and Market streets which would go aboard the Golden Gate ferry and through to Calistoga via the Sonoma Valley. The application for this line will be heard January 3rd.

Protest that it is duplication of service will be made by W. Curtis, operating the bus line between Santa Rosa and Sausalito; Valente & Stuermer of the Sonoma Valley—San Rafael line and A. Dunham of the Sonoma—Napa line.

MUSICAL PROGRAM COMING

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SCHELLVILLE ITEMS

Miss Mary Keiser spent Wednesday at Napa with her sister.

Waldon Gear motored to Napa on last Saturday.

S. Kellar has recovered from his recent illness.

The Sonoma Bridge Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Harold Pauli on Thursday, December 20th.

George Millerick spent the week end with relatives in San Francisco and Gerkeley.

Mrs. Anton Neuman entertained relatives from Berkeley and Santa Rosa Sunday.

Mrs. Douglas Church was here over the last week end with her daughter Mrs. F. Schell.

Mrs. Harold Pauli and children enjoyed a few days recently in San Francisco.

Vic Donohue left this week to make his home with Jim Kehoe at his 1700 acre ranch at Point Reyes.

Mrs. R. Waller and little daughter visited in Napa Friday.

San Francisco relatives spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Akers.

Ivan Anderson and family spent Saturday at Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Jessen motored to Valleja Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rubke and two children are in Los Angeles where they will remain until after the holidays.

Mrs. Clements is in Sunnyvale where she will spend Christmas with her son, Will, and family.

Stewart Potter of U. C. was greeting friends and relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mitchell, formerly of Schellville, but now residing in Los Angeles, spent Monday at the C. Potter home. They were enroute to Eureka to spend the holidays with relatives there.

Among those who attended the Sciots dance at Santa Rosa last Friday night were the Charles Potters, Mrs. F. Schell and Miss Nevada, Miss Anna Noyes and Mrs. Rena Carlson.

Jack Harper, a former Schellville boy, has resigned his position as attorney for the United Railways of San Francisco and has accepted the position of Chief of Police of the city of Burlingame. The family expect to locate at Burlingame after the new year.

The Triangle Service Station is now being painted by the Associated Oil Company's crew of men, under the supervision of Robert Moad.

PETALUMA PAYS ITS EGG DAY DEFICIT

The completion of a notable achievement for Petaluma is now practically assured in the concellation of the county fair debt. With the money paid and the pledges made, the deficit of $16,544 as the result of the last county fair, due to the construction of perament buildings totalling aggregately that amount, will be liquidated.

On Saturday the checks in payment for the deficit were mailed out and all the small claims were paid in full while 80 per cent was paid on each of the large claims and the remaining 20 per cent will be paid as the pledges of the members to pay their pro rata are redeemed. This will not take long.

Sonoma is cleaning up its $10,000 Mission Centennial deficit, more than half of which has been paid and the balance of outstanding pledges are expected to be liquidated shortly. It is stated by the committee that 60 per cent has been collected to date.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Cereghino will entertain fifteen relatives for Christmas, including Mr. Cereghino's mother, Mrs. Hanna, of Petaluma and his sister, Mrs. Matthies and her husband. The Misses Friedger, sisters of Mrs. Cereghino, will also be here from San Francisco for the holidays, which will be celebrated with a tree and turkey dinner.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

On December 15th, Mrs. Chase will have on display a nice assortment of needle work, suitable for Christmas gifts. Next door to Mercantile Trust Company Bank, First St. West. adv.2

Mrs. Edgar Clements' mother and little daughter have gone south to spend Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Clements will spend the holiday with Will Clements in Sunnyvale.

Ray Manuel will move his blacksmith business to the north side of the Plaza on the first of the year.

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HARRY FINE IS MARRIED

Harry Fine and Inez Ross, his partner in the Plaza Restaurant, were married in San Francisco the first of the week and have gone to Seattle on their wedding tour. They will visit the bride's mother, who resides there and also take in all the sights of the north before returning to Sonoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burmester of El Verano attended the anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Munk in Napa last week. Mrs. Josie Munk will be remembered here as the beautiful singer, often heard at the Eastern Star lodge affairs.

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The following is the Christmas week program as being carried out at the Sonoma State Home for the benefit of the 1900 inmates, many of whom will participate in the festivities, as is the annual custom:

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19
CHRISTMAS OPERETTA FOR JUNIORS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20
CHRISTMAS OPERETTA FOR SENIORS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 23
SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS SERVICE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24
CHRISTMAS TREE ON SOUTH LAWN

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25
DISTRIBUTION OF CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27
SPECIAL MOVING PICTURE FOR GIRLS

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28
SPECIAL MOVING PICTURE FOR BOYS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 30
MERRY-GO-ROUND

TUESDAY, JANUARY 1
MASQUERADE AND MERRY-GO-ROUND

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A CHRISTMAS OPERETTA
PART I
Christmas Eve—A Family Reunion

1 "Nearly Christmas"—Sung by all the Children
2. "The Twins' Song"—Mae and Sue
3. "I Will Not Peep"—Fannie and Chorus
4. "Clatter, Clatter, Jingle, Jingle"—All the Children
5. "Jingle Bells," Dance—Three Girls
6. "Beware; What the Elves Found"—The Elves
7. "Snow Fairies Song"—Stoneman Hall Girls
8. "Boo-Hoo, Boo-Hoo"—All the Children
9. "We Love the Children"—The Elves
10. "Sleepy Time"—The Children

PART II
Christmas Morning

1. "Santa's Here"—The Children
2. "My Work Is Done"—Santa Claus
3. "Wake Up"—The Children
4. "Good Night"—Ensemble

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Snow Fairies—Stoneman Hall Girls
Boys of the Family—Intermediate and Grammar Grades
Girls of the Family—Choir Girls

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Mrs. Chauquette, grand mother of Wallace Chauquette, the little boy who makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Parrent, left Leeds, Mass., to come to California via automobile. She came as far as Georgia with her son and his wife and then decided it was too strenuous traveling, so took a train, arriving here in comfort this week. The auto travelers are still on the road, but expect to arrive soon.

•Batto's Sonoma Store carries Pig'n Whistle.

FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

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WIFE OF SCHOOL PRINCIPAL VERY ILL

Mrs. J. F. Prestwood, wife of the principal of the Sonoma Grammar School, who has been ill for some time past, is reported quite sick. Mrs. Prestwood is a sufferer from heart trouble. Everything possible is being done for her comfort and relief by her physicians, Drs. Thomson and J. F. Shields. Friends throughout Sonoma county hope for early news of her improvement.

FERRY COMPANY PAYS DIVIDENDS

Santa Claus visited the stockholders of the Golden Gate Ferry Company this week and carried dividends checks to 1100 men and women who hold the securities of the corporation.

The Company operates an automobile ferry service between San Francisco and Sausalito and is now in its second year of operation. Dividends are being paid at the rate of 8 per cent per annum.

The company is closing a prosperous year, it having acquired considerable property necessary for development as well as paying a good dividend to stockholders.

A large number of Sonoma Valley people are stockkholders in Golden Gate Ferry Company.

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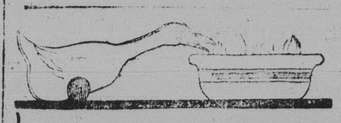

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10:00 a. m.	10:45 a. m
11:30 a. m.	12:15 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:45 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	3:15 p. m.
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VISITOR FROM NEW YORK

S. B. Button of Wellsville, N. Y., brother of the late Samuel Button of Boyes Springs, was here from San Francisco with Mrs. Samuel Button the first of the week, transacting business at Boyes Springs.

Mr. Button came west upon learning of the illness of his brother and arrived in time to be with him prior to his death.

The New York visitor is a contractor of the Empire State and says that three generations of the family have followed the contracting and building business.

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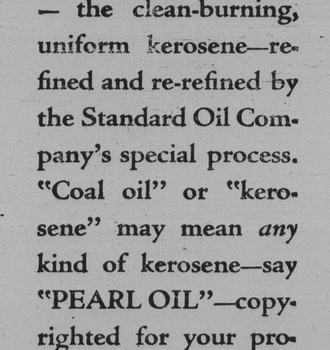

GOVERNOR DENIES HE WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE

Governor Richardson has never said he would not be a candidate for reelection according to a statement issued by the Governor's secretary.

The statement reads:

"A fake interview was recently published by a newspaper politically opposed to the Governor in San Francisco, that he would not be a candidate in the next gubernatorial election. This was untrue. What the Governor really said was that he was not a candidate for any office and was ambitious only to give California an economical and business like administration. This he has said repeatedly to those who are urging his name for vice president as a running made with Coolidge. The Governor cares nothing about his political future, is not building up a political machine and is not interested in playing politics."

HOLIDAY FIRE WARNINGS

Your attention is called to the introduction about premises of Christmas greens, Christmas candles, harvest specimens, moving picture exhibits and other inflammable materials, such as cotton to represent snow.

In addition to the danger to property from displays referred to ,the danger to life in crowded stores or places of meeting by reason of a panic occasioned by a fire, even though it be small and easily controlled, is so great that the underwriters who have made a study of such hazards, would only be partly fulfilling their duty should they fail to give warning.

Do not decorate your Christmas tree with paper, cotton or any other inflammable material. Use metallic tinsel and other non-inflammable decorations only, and set the tree securely so that children, or others, in reaching for things cannot tip it over.

Do not use cotton to represent snow Asbestos fibre or powdered mica is a good substitute.

Do not use candles. The records show that many lives are lost because of their use. Electric lighting systems, properly installed, avoid this danger.

Do not permit any sort of decorations near gas jets.

Do not allow trees to remain inside of buildings after the holidays. The tree itself ignites readily when the needles have become dry.

These suggestions are made with the hope that this Christmas may pass leaving no aftermath of regret.

W. H. KELLY,
Asst. Dist. Secty.,
Board of Fire Underwriters.

The Goodman home on Broadway will be the scene of a joyous Christmas gathering when Miss Goodman and Mary Springer will entertain at dinner Tuesday Professor Painter and family of Petaluma. Mrs. Dillon, Mrs. Ada Pauli and the Roy Paulis.

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BASE BALL STARS CAN SHOOT DUCKS

Jimmy O'Connell and Pete Compton went to the marshes the other day and showed Boyes Springs that they were crack shots. They fed the village on "cans" and duck feeds this week were popular. Alright Jimmy, now for the editor's ducks.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

Jimmy Acquistapace of Agua Caliente celebrated his birthday last Sunday and was congratulated by many friends who gathered at the home of his mother for a fine dinner in honor of the event.

SWISS WRESTLER COMING TO SONOMA

Louis Antognini, the Italian-Swiss wrestling champion who will wrestle Bull Hanson, the Atlantic Coast champion, at Legion Hall in Petaluma tonight, arrived in that city this week. Mr. Antognini is a friend of B. Pedroni of Petaluma, they having been raised in the same town in Switzerland.

Mr. Antognini will give an exhibition in Union Hall, Sonoma, Saturday evening, Dec. 29. His opponent will be announced next week.

GROWS FINE TOBACCO IN SONOMA VALLEY

Ben F. Pinder of the Snyder ranch brought to this office a sample of leaf tobacco, grown on his ranch. Mr. Pinder has several hundred pounds of the leaf, which he will put through the ageing process.

No. 13749

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA

MARY PHILLIPS, Plaintiff.

vs

PHILIP WALTON PHILLIPS, PHILIP EDMUND PHILLIPS, O. J. LE BARON, HEALDSBURG NATIONAL BANK, A Corporation, JOHN DOE and JANE DOE, Defendants.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

W. F. Cowan, Attorney for Plaintiff

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to

Philip Walton Phillips, Philip Edmund Phillips, O. J. LeBaron, Healdsburg National Bank, a corporation, John Doe and Jane Doe Defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 17th day of October, 1923.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk.

By John Burroughs, Deputy Clerk.

First Publication Oct. 27, 1923

No. 13709

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA

HENRIETTE LALANNE YOUNG, Plaintiff.

vs.

JESSE LINDLEY YOUNG, Defendant.

Action was taken in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.

Fred S. Howell, Attorney for Plaintiff

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to

Jesse Lindley Young, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiff will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in this complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Superior Court this 5th day of October, 1923.

(SEAL) W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk.

By Clara E. Christiansen, Deputy Clerk.

First Publication October 27, 1923

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by Adam Pfalsgraf after November 8, 1923.

MRS. C. H. PFALSGRAF.

Classified Advertising

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Extra fine Toulouse geese, live or dressed. P. McDonnell, Box 138, Sec. 2, next to the Maurel Villa. 18 2tp

FOR SALE—A good family cow, Jersey and Holstein, fresh in about a week. C. Wenrer, Box 307, R. F. D., Sonoma, Cal. 18 2tp

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car in perfect condition. O .R. Wagner, Sonoma, Cal. 18 tfc

FOR SALE—Extra fine large sugar prunes, 8c per pound. J. Neukom, Lower Broadway, near new high school. 18 2tp

FOR SALE—One tube radio set, $25, will install. H. Raffetta. 18 1tp

FOR SALE or trade—Herd of Toggenberg milk goats, thoroughbreds, some fresh, others to be fresh soon Any or all. Apply to M. R. Tracey Sonoma, Cal. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Jubilee incubator, 200 egg capacity, in good condition. Apply to A. Van Ryn (one mile west of El Verano) Sec. 1, Box 7 -20p

FOR SALE-Reasonable Bicycle with delivery basket, good condition, Roamer Model. Apply Ed Meinhardt, Box 116, Sonoma, 17-18p

FOR SALE—Cheap, auto truck, Apply at Cash and Carry Fruit Market 17-1tp

FOR SALE—Kiestin stump puller. J. A. Hall, Agua Caliente 16 4tp

FOR SALE—Certified AA grade baby chicks from hens not less than two years old, mated to registered high pedigreed cockerels. D. Calli, Sonoma, Cal. 16 tfc

FOR SALE—12 Black Minorca pullets and one rooster, $10. B. J. Juchter, Waller Tract, Schellville. 2

FOR SALE—450 ft. 4 inch water pipe fine for irrigation, all in good condition. H. Heuer Cooperage Shop, Sonoma. 16 tfc

FOR SALE—Buy your baby chicks from a laying strain which has proven to be among the best in Sonoma county. We use only selected hens mated to double pedigree cockerels. Gerica & Sarich, Sonoma. 16tf

CERTIFIED BABY CHICKS—A A Grade S. C. White Leghorns. G. & C. Poultry Farm, R. F. D., Sonoma. Accredited by the Sonoma County Farm Bureau. 15 tfc

FOR SALE—Or trade. Wagons and buggigs. L. E. States, Napa St., Sonoma. 13 tfc

FOR SALE—Or rent. Two good work horses; also turkeys and ducks for the holidays. Industrial Farm, phone 42. 13 tfc

FOR SALE—A Delco electric light plant. B. Schrempff, Vineburg. 11tf

FOR SALE—Splendid home in Sonoma, $2500. Six room cottage with bath and garage, lot 50x125. F. W Dobbel, Realtor, Poppe Bldg., Sonoma. Phone 145. 9 tfc

FOR SALE—47 acres fronting new highway, near Warfield and Glen Ellen, $45 per acre. Ed Thierkoff, Glen Ellen. 9 tfc

FOR SALE—I am offering my home for sale, consists of lot 50x300, four room house, outdoor sleeping bungalow, wood shed, chicken house, brooder house, feed house. Sidewalks and gutters laid, sewer and water connections made. All for $2500. Wm. Rambo, Sonoma. 3 tfc

FOR SALE—Pigs, all sizes, lot of 200 to choose from, good stock. A. Trautvetter, 5th St. West, Sonoma, Box 16-A, R F D 2 tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two houses, nodern conveniences, reasonable. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT—Bungalow furnished or unfurnished, all built in conveniences, stationary wash tubs, etc. Mrs Tom Monahan. 15 tfc

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four furnished housekeeping apartments and a furnished cottage at Boyes Springs. $3 per week or $10.00 per month. See Field & Payne, Boyes Springs. 5 tf

FOR RENT—Store on Napa St., Sonoma, in business center. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT6 room cottage and bath on Broadway; all modern improvements including cement sidewalks to back door, garage and chicken house. Apply at French Laundry, Sonoma, Cal. 18 ?

WANTED

WANTED—Local salesmen wanted for Sonoma and vicinity to sell DOUBLEWEAR SHOES direct from factory to wearer. Our new measuring apparatus insures perfect fitting. For full particulars address the DOUBLEWEAR SHOE CO., 315 East Lake St., Minneapolis, Minn. 18 ?

WANTED—Chore man. Apply to superintendent, Goldstein Ranch. 1p

WANTED—Sonoma property. I have $2500 first mortgage on ranch. Modern home in Ft. Worth, Texas, $3500, clear. 40 acres, improved, near highway in Fresno Co., $4000, clear. Will exchange any of the above for Sonoma business or residential property. I might add some cash. Address R., care Index Tribune office. 16 tfc

WANTED—To hear from owner of good Ranch for sale. State cash price, full particulars. D. F. Bush, Minneapolis, Minn. 10-11-357-5tp

WANTED—Well digging. A. Calufetti, well digger and cleaner. No. 131 Germany St., Sonoma. Phone 123-J. 30-45-tf

WANTED—Top price paid for any kind o fduck eggs. Sonoma Mission Creamery. 25-44-tf

WANTED—Will buy worn out stock, horses, cows, etc. Pay top prices. Phone Sonoma 6-F-2 or address John Guibergia, Box 8, R. F. D. A, Sonoma, Calif. tf

MISCELLANEOUS

HOME BUTCHER—Will kill your hogs and make sausages at your home. Otto Schulz, at Schuhman's, Buena Vista. 15 4t

W. W CARTER—Agent for Newcastle Nursery. Best trees on the market. Order now and assure the best choice and varieties. Next to Union Hotel, Sonoma. 9 tfc

TIRES CHANGED and rims cleaned and graphited—35c, 50c and 75c, according to size and type. S. A. Robinson, Sonoma. 8 4tc

W. W. CARTER—Sonoma's Reliable Insurance Man, represents leading American companies. Settled all claims of recent fire immediately. Insure with Carter, next to Union Hotel, Sonoma Cal. 7tf

TIRE AND TUBE REPAIRING the right way, Steam Vulcanizing. Sonoma Vulcanizing Works, S. A. Robinson, Sonoma. 8 4tc

LOST

LOST—By lady, purse containing greenbacks, in Sonoma. Reward to finder by communicating with this office. 16 2tp

FOUND

FOUND—Lady's cape on highway near Schellville. Apply to Jep Valente, Sonoma. 16 tf

Kenneth Qwens of Lichfeld, Illinois arrive duexpectedly from the east Thursday to spend the holidays at the home of his uncle F. Edrington.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Having sold my business, the Cash and Carry Fruit Market, to W. T. Vestal, I will not be responsible for any bills contracted after Dec. 3, 1923.

E. REITH.

Sonoma, California, Dec. 5, 1923.

MRS. M. THOMAS CALLED TO ETERNAL REST

Mrs. M. Thomas who owned a country home at El Verano passed away in San Francisco last Sunday evening. She had been in frail health for some time past and had been under the care of Mrs. Anderson, mother of Mrs. Jep Valente since returning to her city home. Sunday she took a bad heart attack and passed away.

Many Sonoma friends will hear this news with deep regret. The family, including two daughters and a son of deceased lady spend the summers in our valley each year.

DAVID CRIVELLI IS A GOOD RIFLE SHOT

David Crivelli, twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Crivelli, made a record shot at a recent turkey shoot at the Stornetti ranch, hitting the bulls-eye dead center at 100 yards with a high power rifle. It was the best shot made at the tournament.

Miss Delia Marmori, recently back from a trip to Southern California, is here for the holidays, visiting her folks.

Miss Maria Synder has been very ill and is now in San Francisco under medical treatment.

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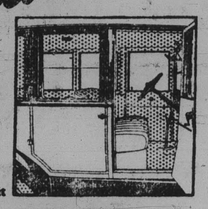

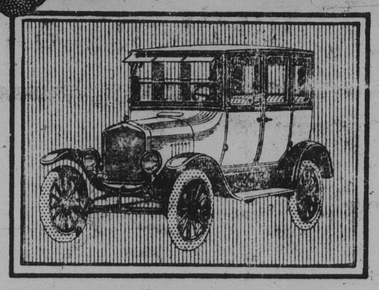

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